FISCAL NOTE

SB 582 - HB 801

April 23, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Reduces from 7% to 4.5% the sales tax rate on diesel fuel used for railroad purposes.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenues - \$1,785,000/Transportation Equity Fund \$298,000/General Fund

Estimate assumes:

- \$5,800,000 in sales tax revenue currently generated by diesel fuel for railroads.
- 6/7^{ths}, or approximately \$5,000,000, of the sales tax currently goes to the Highway Fund.
- 1/7 th, or \$830,000, of the sales tax currently goes to the General Fund.
- Effectively reduces the diesel fuel tax from 7% to 4.5%.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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